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Applicants : Keith P. Wilson, et al.

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Application No. : 09/678,016 Confirmation No. : 7947

Filed : October 2, 2000

For : METHODS OF USING THE STRUCTURE  
COORDINATES OF MOLECULES COMPRISING AN  
IMPDH-LIKE BINDING POCKET

New York, New York 10020

May 20, 2003

Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This is in response to the November 20, 2002 Office Action in the above-identified application. Applicants concurrently submit herewith a Petition for three (3) months extension of time. With the extension, the deadline for reply is up to and including May 20, 2003.

Please amend the application as follows:

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